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September 7, 2022

Hon. J. Paul Oetken  
U.S. District Court  
40 Foley Square  
New York, NY 10007

Re: *U.S. v. Bruce*, 22 cr 182 (JPO) - {Violation of Supervised Release}

Dear Judge Oetken:

I am counsel for Emmett Bruce, the defendant in the above referenced Violation of Supervised Release ("VOSR") which is scheduled for a conference on September 16, 2022

The three specifications in the VOSR charge Mr. Bruce with violating conditions of his supervision by possession of a firearm and possession of identification documents belonging to other persons. The conduct underlying these specifications has become the basis for a criminal Complaint which has been filed, and Mr. Bruce had been presented, in the White Plains courthouse under criminal docket number 22 M 5168. Following Mr. Bruce's presentment on the Complaint, I have had discussions with the Government about possible discovery disclosures and a non-trial resolution of the criminal matter.

Due to this circumstance, it is preferable that a resolution of the VOSR follows and awaits the resolution of the pending criminal matter. Accordingly, I respectfully request the pending conference be adjourned for approximately 90 days to a date during the week of December 19, 2022. At that point, the parties may have clarity on how the criminal matter will proceed and can update the Court accordingly.

I have conferred the Government and they consent to this request.

Granted. The September 16, 2022 status conference on the violation of supervised release is adjourned to December 21, 2022 at 12:00 pm.  
So ordered:  
9/8/2022

Respectfully submitted,  
/s/  
Jeffrey G. Pittell

  
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J. PAUL OETKEN  
United States District Judge